

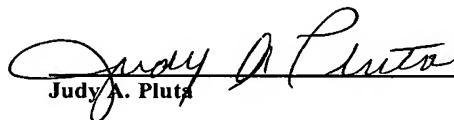


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:) Confirmation No.: 7815
Serge Julien Auguste Imhoff, et al.) Docket No.: DN2003076X01
For: POLYESTER CORDS AND THEIR) Art Unit: 1733
USE IN RUNFLAT TIRES) Examiner: Justin R. Fischer
Serial No.: 10/609,165)
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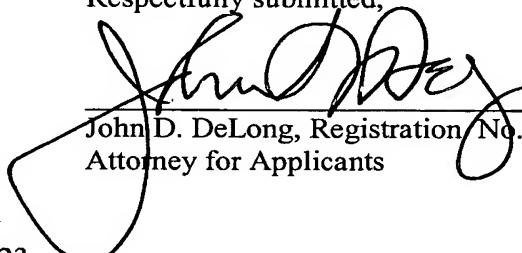
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.136a

Dear Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents for an extension of time for response to an Office Action dated January 13, 2006, for one (1) month from April 13, 2006, to May 13, 2006.

Please charge my deposit account number 07-1725 in the amount of One Hundred Twenty and 00/100 Dollars (\$120.00) to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should also be charged to deposit account number 07-1725.

Respectfully submitted,


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